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At a meeting of the Sanitary Board this afternoon a long letter was received from the Medical Officer of Health for Capetown in reply to a communication from the Board relative to the use of ferrets as agents for destroying rats. He pointed out that it was a common experience in Capetown to put a ferret down in a hole in one house and have it appear in another some distance away. The ferrets frequently came across nests of young rats or the carcasses of rats that had died from plague and gorged themselves so that they were unable to get back through the hole and while in this state were often lost or were set upon and killed by adult rats. Apart from this the ferrets proved to be exceedingly susceptible to plague, and a very large percentage of the animals employed died from plague soon after they were used. In conclusion, he remarked that in Capetown when an outbreak of plague occurred they depended to a large extent upon bird-time for catching rats, and gave some notes regarding its use. The ordinary bird time proved of very little use but the best Japanese bird-time gave excellent results.

## "THE GEISHA."

To say that the performance of "The Geisha," given at the Club Lusitano by the children of the members, in honour of Vice Admiral Sir Hedworth Lambton, on Saturday evening, was a great success, is but a mild compliment to the admirable efforts of these juveniles, who entered into the spirit of the piece with an enthusiasm that was bound to be successful. The performance, if indeed it were possible, eclipsed those of the previous occasions, several new songs being introduced. Little "Mollie" simply captivated the audience, composed as it was for the most part of Officers of the Navy and Army, together with their ladies, and was accorded unstinted applause for her clever singing and dancing. In responding to an encore she sang "Mollie I love you" with all the fervour and attractiveness of an adult and she was deservedly recalled. "Mollie" too, had a great reception and responded to the call for an encore to the exquisite rendering of "The Jewel of Asia," with "Under the Deodar," which she sang most charmingly. "Wun Ee" was none the less successful and had responded to her while all the choruses were sweetly rendered. The English officers were also good and some in for their due share of appreciation and amongst the tributes bestowed on them was a big silver's chop knife each, given by Commodore, Mrs and Miss Lyon, who were amongst the audience, with the Officers of the Portuguese gunboat Patria. After the first act each juvenile was presented with a box of chocolates while at other periods of the performance floral tributes were handed up to them. Certainly Messrs Alves and Silva deserve the highest commendation for having so patiently trained all the little mites to such a state of perfection and it is to be hoped that they will continue in this good work. His Excellency Major General Broadwood was to have been present but was reluctantly compelled to cancel the engagement on account of the death of his brother in India. Vice-Admiral Sir Hedworth Lambton, Commodore, Mrs and Miss Lyon and Lieut. Blanchflower, secretary to the Commodore, with their party were received at the entrance of the Club by the president Mr Alves and Mr G. J. Leiria, Consul General for Portugal and Brazil, and were conducted to the spacious hall. At the fall of the curtain the applause was very prolonged and expressions of pleasure and delight were heard on all sides. The various references to Admiral Lambton, Commodore Lyon and "plenty English Officer men" greatly amused the audience. Another excellent performance was given on Sunday evening and everything passed off most successfully.

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Hongkong, February 10, 1909.

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## MEMOS FOR TO-MORROW.

Miscellaneous

11.45 a.m.—Exchange Banks Closed.

Hongkong Jockey Club Race Meeting.

## General Memoranda.

WEDNESDAY, February 17:—

Goods per *Benelux* undelivered after

this date subject to rent.

THURSDAY, February 18:—

Goods per *Dortmund* undelivered after

this date subject to rent.

FRIDAY, February 19:—

10.30 a.m.—Auction of Messrs' Jays'

Whole Stock in Trade at No. 14, Des

Vieux Road.

9 p.m.—Performance by Hongkong

Amateur Dramatic Club in City Hall.

Goods per *Princess Alice* undelivered

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SATURDAY, February 20:—

Noon—Meeting of The Hongkong and

Shanghai Banking Corporation, at the

City Hall.

Goods per *Palawan* not cleared at 4 p.m.

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MONDAY, February 22:—

Noon—Meeting of Hongkong &amp; Wham-

poa Dock Co., at Co.'s Office.

Noon—Tenders for the supply of Pro-

visions will be received by Head Quarter

Office, Victoria Barracks.

9.15 p.m.—Choir Concert at City Hall.

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TUESDAY, February 23:—

Noon—Tenders for the supply of Pro-

visions will be received by Deputy Vice-

President Store Office, H. M. Naval Yard.

12.30 p.m.—Meeting of Hongkong Hotel

Co., Ltd., at Co.'s Hotel.

## NOTICE.

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dressed to THE MANAGER.

Correspondents must forward their names

and addresses with any communications ad-

dressed to the Editor, not for publication but

as evidence of good faith.

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have already appeared in other papers will be

inserted.

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## The China Mail

HONGKONG, MONDAY, FEBRUARY 15, 1909.

## WEALTHY ENGLAND.

Mr. Lloyd-George when he comes to

finally cast up his Budget—that Budget

which is causing so much grave appre-

hension in Great Britain at the present

time—will have cause to thank the

astute financier who suggested to the

Five wills reported in the first week

of January as proved disposed of a

capital of over three and a half million

pounds and the estate duties payable

on them amounted to £451,000. But

these wind-falls notwithstanding, Mr.

Lloyd-George has not come off so

well as he had anticipated. The

Budget estimate of the receipts from

estate duties for the year which ends

on March 31 was £19,500,000, or at

the rate of £375,000 per week. Three-

quarters of the period have ex-

pired and the receipts for that portion

of the year were £15,350,000, or at

the rate of over £342,000 per week.

The shortage is thus about £1,275,000.

The amount required in the re-

maining quarter to bring up the

receipts to the Budget estimate will

be £6,150,000, or at the rate of

£475,000 per week. It must be

remembered, however, that the last

quarter of the year, embracing as it

does the most treacherous months in

the calendar, has sometimes been

very productive. Succession duty or

part of it on some large estates may

also come in, for the whole of the

estates which passed on the death of

the late Duke of Devonshire and the

late Earl of Derby have yet to be

dealt with, and in each case it is

expected that the sum to be even-

tually charged upon will amount to

three millions apiece. Then there

may also be some new estates, like

that of Sir BLUNDELL MAPLE's,

which, at first set down at a million,

was found to be worth much more

than double that sum when finally

settled.

It is interesting to note that Mrs

RYLANDS left half a million, Mr.

BARNATO a quarter of a million, and

Mr. STEWART CLARK £29,500 for

public uses, so that on the whole

the community at large came off fairly

well in the redistribution of wealth

caused by the operations of the Grim

Reaper.

That England is an extremely

wealthy country despite its depressed

trade and falling exports is demon-

strated by other facts quite as expressive

as the death duties. Take for instance

the art sales during the past year. It

is roughly computed that the aggregate

of the prices realised in the auction

sales of art treasures, literary, and other

curiosities during 1908 was more than

one million pounds sterling. The

Holland collection alone brought in

£138,000, and the Humphrey-Roberts

sale £64,000. Only on one occasion has

the Holland total been exceeded, and

that was in 1872, when the collec-

tion of GILLOTT, the steel pen maker,

was dispersed. His Turner and

other masterpieces totalled £164,500.

Amongst the leading prices of last year

have been the following:—

Turner—"Mortlake Terrace".....£12,800

Turner—"Mortlake Terrace".....£4,550

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## THE PROPOSED UNIVERSITY.

A meeting of the committee of the

proposed Hongkong University was held

at Government House to-day. His Ex-

cellency the Governor (Sir F. D. Lugard)

presiding.

His Excellency addressed the committee,

explaining the position, and adding that if

within the six months they had even suc-

ceeded in raising a very substantial part

of the money required he had no doubt Mr

Mody would consent to an extension of the

time. He had asked the Secretary of State's

section to devote the fine site near the

junction of the Bonham and Pokfulam

Roads to the purpose, and had no reason

to think that the reply would be other

than favourable.

A sub-committee representative of all

sections of the Chinese Community in

Hongkong was appointed.

A full report of the meeting will appear

in to-morrow's China Mail.

## NEWS OF THE DAY.

One case of plague was notified during

the week outside of Victoria.

There will not be a meeting of the

Union Church Literary Club this week.

The death is announced of Dr T. H.

Tripler, a very old resident of Yokohama.

H.M.S. Flora is now in appropie

condition for her long cruise in South

American waters. She is a credit to the

flag.

The numerous patrons and guests of

the Oriental Hotel will be pleased to learn

that special tidings are to be provided at the

Hotel on the Race days from 12 noon.

There were 380 European and 808

Chinese visitors to the City Hall Library,

and 187 European and 4,334 Chinese visi-

tors to the Museum during the week

ended February 14th.

The German transport *Rugia* arrived

at Hongkong to-day, from Hamburg,

on route for Weihow, with 707 men on

board. During the day the men went

sight-seeing round the city.

The weekly concert at the Seamen's

Institute will be on Wednesday next.

The programme has been arranged by Mr

Broughall and promises to be very good.





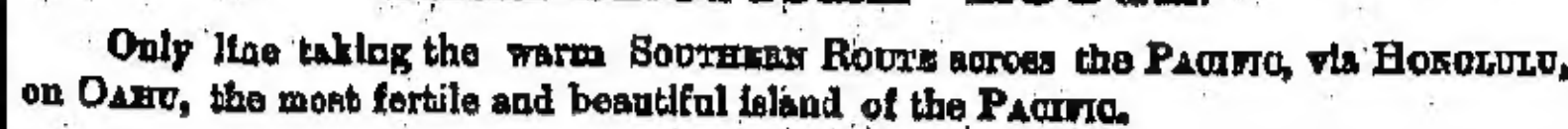


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SIBERIA	18,500	Tues.	TUESDAY,	16th Feb,	at Noon.
MANCHURIA	19,000	Wed.	TUESDAY,	13th Feb,	at Noon.
CEISO MARU	27,000	Thurs.	TUESDAY,	2nd April,	at Noon.
CEISO MARU	21,000	Fri.	TUESDAY,	8th Mar,	at Noon.
ASIA	9,500	Sat.	TUE. DAY,	16th Mar,	at Noon.
KONGOLA	27,000	Sun.	SATURDAY,	6th Mar,	at Noon.
TOKYO MARU	27,000	Mon.	TUESDAY,	6th April,	at Noon.
KORO MARU	18,000	Tues.	TUESDAY,	23rd April,	at Noon.
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<b>China</b> .....	10,200 "	"	<b>11th May,</b>	<b>at Noon.</b>
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CHINA NAVIGATION CO., LD.

**SAILINGS SUBJECT TO ALTERATION.**

FOR		STEAMERS	TO SAIL	
SHANGHAI & OHINKIANG		KWEITANG	Feb.	16, Daylight
HONGKONG		NINGPO	Feb.	16, at 10 a.m.
HAIPHONG		CHANG	Feb.	16, at 10 a.m.
MANILA		TAIHING	Feb.	16, at 3 p.m.
SHANGHAI		CHINEGA	Feb.	16, at 3 p.m.
SHANGHAI		LOMAN	Feb.	16, at 3 p.m.
MANILA		TEAN	Feb.	28, at 3 p.m.
THURSDAY ISLAND, COOKTOWN,				
MUTLA, PT. DARWIN, ZABOON,		TAIYUAN	Feb.	28, at 4 p.m.
CAIRNS, TOWNSVILLE, BRISBANE,				
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SHINGOIKU MARU, Capt. T. IRO,	{	TAKAO (DIRECT).	{	About WEDDAY, 12th February.	
* SEOSHU MARU, Capt. ICHIO,	{	ANPING, Via SWATOW, AMOY AND TAKAO,	{	WEDNESDAY, 17th Feb., at 8 a.m.	
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at Noon.

SHANGHAI, NAGASAKI, KLEIST, { About  
THURSDAY.

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SINGAPORE, PENANG, {		CHANGEE	TO SAIL
AND CALCUTTA	{ LAHSANG.....	TUESDAY,	Feb. 16, at Noon
SHANGHAI.....	CHOYANG.....	FRIDAY,	Feb. 19, at Noon
MANILA.....	LOONGSANG.....	FRIDAY,	Feb. 19, at Noon
SANDAKAN.....	MAOSANG.....	SATURDAY,	Feb. 20, at Noon
MANILA.....	YUENSANG.....	FRIDAY,	Feb. 20, at Noon
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DELTA.....1000	Mar. 6	CHINA.....1000	Apr. 3	Apr. 10
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DELTA.....1000	Apr. 17	MONGOLIA.....1000	May 15	May 22
ASSAYA.....1000	May 1	MAKORA.....1000	May 29	June 5
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## NOTICES TO CONSIGNEES

PORTLAND & ASIATIC STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

### NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

CONSIGNEES OF CARGO per Steamship NUMANTIA.  
The above-named Vessel having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby notified to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery from alongside.  
Cargo impeding the discharge of the vessel will be landed at once at Consignees' risk and expense.  
Cargo remaining on board after Noon, on WEDNESDAY, the 17th Feb., 1909, will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense.  
All Cargo undelivered on SATURDAY, February 20th, 1909, at 12 Noon, will be subject to rent.  
All chafed and otherwise damaged cargo will be examined at the shore Company's Godown on THURSDAY, the 18th Feb., 1909, at 10 a.m.  
S. SILVERSTONE, Agent.  
Hongkong, February 13, 1909. 220

### FROM EUROPE

THE H.A.L. Steamship DORTMUND, Captain Moller, having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby notified to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside.  
Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before 10 a.m.  
Any Cargo impeding her discharge will be landed into the Godowns and/or extra delivered Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., Ltd., and stored at Consignees' risk and expense.  
All Claims must be presented within ten days of the steamer's arrival here, after which time they cannot be recognized.  
No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 18th inst. will be subject to rent.  
All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 17th inst., at 3 p.m. No Fire Insurance has been effected.  
HAMBURG-AMERICA LINE, Hongkong Office.  
Hongkong, February 12, 1909. 209

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### Vessels Advertised as Loading.

Armenian Ports	Aldehem (a)	31th Livingston & Co.	March 4
Bombay	Tyriapas (a)	Yara-China-Japan Lj Co.	about half Feb.
Bombay & Hamburg	Anulajins (a)	Hamburg-Am'ta Linie	about Feb. 16,
Bombay & Shanghai	Dojura Maru (a)	Yaka Shosen Kaisha	Feb. 16, at 4 p.m.
Bombay & Yokohama	Prins Robert Uitendiel	Melchers & Co.	Feb. 24, at Noon.
Bombay, Hongkong & Shanghai	Yamaguchi (a)	Nippon Yusen Kaisha	About April 7.
Bombay, Hongkong & Yoko	Ningpo (a)	Yara-China-Japan Lj Co.	Feb. 16, at 10 a.m.
Hongkong	Ohibiki (a)	Butterfield & Swire	Feb. 24, at Noon.
Halifax	Silevons (a)	Hamburg-Am'ta Linie	about Feb. 23
Hamburg & Hamburg	Nymanta (a)	Portland & A. S. Co.	about Feb. 19.
Hamburg & Portland, Or	Yara-China-Japan Lj Co.	Yara-China-Japan Lj Co.	First half Feb.
Hankow	Banana (a)	Yara-China-Japan Lj Co.	January 17.
Kobe	Brattin (a)	P. & O. S. N. Co.	about Feb. 17.
London, &c.	Sankui Maru (a)	Nippon Yusen Kaisha	Feb. 17, Daylight.
Manilla	Loongsang (a)	Jardine, Mason & Co. Ltd.	Feb. 19, at 4 p.m.
Manilla	Yamaguchi (a)	Jardine, Mason & Co. Ltd.	Feb. 26, at 4 p.m.
Manilla	Yamaguchi (a)	Jardine, Mason & Co. Ltd.	Feb. 26, at 4 p.m.
Manilla	Yamaguchi (a)	Butterfield & Swire	Feb. 27, at 8 p.m.
Manilla	Yamaguchi (a)	Shewan, Tomes & Co.	Feb. 20, at Noon.
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Manilla, London & A'wart	Zetong (a)	Jardine, Mason & Co. Ltd.	about Feb. 23.
Manilla, London & A'wart	Zetong (a)	P. & O. S. N. Co.	about Feb. 24
Manilla, London & A'wart	Zetong (a)	Melchers & Co.	about Feb. 16, at 1 p.m.
Manilla, A'lian Ports	Zetong (a)	Nippon Yusen Kaisha	Feb. 19, at Noon.
Manilla, A'lian Ports	Zetong (a)	Butterfield & Swire	Feb. 25, at 4 p.m.
Manilla, A'lian Ports	Zetong (a)	Dojwell & Co. Limited	about Feb. 23
Manilla, A'lian Ports	Zetong (a)	Jardine, Mason & Co. Ltd.	about Feb. 17 at Noon.
Manilla, A'lian Ports	Zetong (a)	Jardine, Mason & Co. Ltd.	about Feb. 17 at Noon.
Manilla, A'lian Ports	Zetong (a)	Pacific Mail S.S. Co.	Feb. 18, at Noon.
Manilla, A'lian Ports	Zetong (a)	Pacific Mail S.S. Co.	Feb. 23, at Noon.
Manilla, A'lian Ports	Zetong (a)	Pacific Mail S.S. Co.	Mar. 2, at Noon.
Manilla, A'lian Ports	Zetong (a)	Nippon Yusen Kaisha	Mar. 8, at Noon.
Manilla, A'lian Ports	Zetong (a)	Nippon Yusen Kaisha	Feb. 26, at 8 p.m.
Manilla, A'lian Ports	Zetong (a)	Hamburg-Am'ta Linie	February 25.
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Manilla, A'lian Ports	Zetong (a)	Melchers & Co.	about Feb. 26.
Manilla, A'lian Ports	Zetong (a)	Yaka Shosen Kaisha	Feb. 21, at 8 a.m.
Manilla, A'lian Ports	Zetong (a)	Yaka Shosen Kaisha	Feb. 25, Daylight.
Manilla, A'lian Ports	Zetong (a)	Butterfield & Swire	Feb. 17, at Noon.
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Manilla, A'lian Ports	Zetong (a)	P. & O. S. N. Co.	about Feb. 19.
Manilla, A'lian Ports	Zetong (a)	P. & O. S. N. Co.	about March 1.
Manilla, A'lian Ports	Zetong (a)	Jardine, Mason & Co. Ltd.	Feb. 16, at Noon.
Manilla, A'lian Ports	Zetong (a)	Jardine, Mason & Co. Ltd.	Feb. 16, at Noon.
Manilla, A'lian Ports	Zetong (a)	Douglas Lapsack & Co.	Feb. 18, at Noon.
Manilla, A'lian Ports	Zetong (a)	Douglas Lapsack & Co.	Feb. 17, at Noon.
Manilla, A'lian Ports	Zetong (a)	Douglas Lapsack & Co.	Feb. 19, at Noon.
Manilla, A'lian Ports	Zetong (a)	Carlowitz & Co.	Feb. 16, at noon.
Manilla, A'lian Ports	Zetong (a)	Carlowitz & Co.	about Feb. 22.
Manilla, A'lian Ports	Zetong (a)	Cash & Co.	Feb. 18, at Noon.
Manilla, A'lian Ports	Zetong (a)	Nippon Yusen Kaisha	Feb. 18, at Noon.
Manilla, A'lian Ports	Zetong (a)	Dojwell & Co. Limited	March 11.
Manilla, A'lian Ports	Zetong (a)	Canadian Pacific R. Co.	Mar. 2, at Noon.
Manilla, A'lian Ports	Zetong (a)	Canadian Pacific R. Co.	Mar. 19, at 7 a.m.

### SHARE LIST.—QUOTATIONS.

No. of	Paid	Balance Due
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	TANKS.	OFFICE CAR	WGS.	CALIF.
TH	700	180 000	1.05	(9895, buyers

National Bank of China, Limited ...	99,925	£	7	£	8	\$61, buyers
				50		

Canton Insurance Office Co., Ltd. ...	10,000	200	25	287	100
China Traders Insurance Co., Ltd. ....	24,000	48.33	25	287	100

Union Insurance Society, Limited...	10,000	200	100	\$100
Yankee Insurance Association, Ltd.	10,000	100	50	\$150

FIRE INSURANCES					
China Fire Insurance Co., Ltd.	20,000	100	20	\$108	
	2,000	100	20	\$200	however

DOCKE, ETC.	50,000	50	all	392, sellers
H. King & Wharfedale Dock Co., Ltd.				

Geo. Newbould & Co., Limited. ....	10,000	5	64	5	64	59 1/2	nyere
New Amoy Dock Co., Ltd.....	10,000	5	64	5	64	59 1/2	nyere

New Amoy Dock Co., Ltd.....	10,000	\$	64	\$	64	\$91, buyers
Shanghai Dock and Rep. Co., Ltd.	55,700	Tls.	100	Tls.	100	Tls. 78, buyers

China and Manila S. S. Co., Ltd. ...	30,000	25	\$ 25	\$12, holders
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Douglas Steamship Co., Limited.	50,000	10	15	\$23, buyers
H.R. C. and M. Steamboat Co., Ltd	50,000	10	15	\$23, buyers

	10,000	16	10	\$28
Star Ferry Company Ltd.	10,000	16	10	\$15

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do.	Preference.	100,000	115.00	115.00
SAVING		100,000	115.00	115.00

Parak Sugar Company, Limited...	7,000	2	100	all	\$17
Parak Sugar Cultivation Co., Ltd.	7,000	T. 1	50	Tls. 50 Tls. 103	

H. K. & Kow, Wharf & Godown Co.,	60,000	50	all	\$48, buyers
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SAND AND BUILDING.

Agency Company, Limited.....				
Shanghai Land Investment Co.,	78,000 TL.	50 TL.	50 TL.	120

Kowloon Land and Building Com- pany	8,000	51	30	\$301
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Humphreys Estate & Finance Co...	150,000	10	all	\$8.65, sales
West Point Building Co., Limited..	12,500	50	50	\$44. sellers